

Altered Plan for Jewish Emigration Presented Hitler

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

BERLIN—An altered plan to finance Jewish emigration, presumably designed to remove some of the features of the Schacht plan which are objectionable to foreign nations, was presented to Chancellor Adolf Hitler by Karl Blessing, Reichsbank director, and was the subject of inter-ministerial discussion. Although details of the plan were lacking, it was believed that its inspiration came from British sources regarded as friendly to the Reich.

Informed quarters stated that Blessing, in his talk with Chancellor Hitler, reviewed the entire Jewish emigration problem. The fact that the scheme was discussed at a conference of the Finance, Economics and Interior ministries indicated that Hitler has shown definite interest in it.

It can be taken for granted that the changes in the new draft of the Schacht plan affect most drastically the financial angles of the scheme. The new plan also is believed to emphasize the need of speedy emigration of Jewish workers and to provide a government guarantee that Jewish aged and children who have to remain in the country will be adequately cared for.

The discussions opened at the Reichsbank. A ninety-minute session was understood to have ended with Dr. Schacht saying in effect: "I have got to talk this over with my colleagues." Despite the pessimistic atmosphere in which the mission is working, informed quarters express the belief that it is premature to predict its complete failure.

Il Duce May Relent

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

ROME—Official circles said this week there was reason to hope that Premier Benito Mussolini would extend the March 12 deadline for emigration of foreign Jews in Italy. It was learned from official sources that the refugee question was one of the principal topics of discussion between Mussolini and Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain. And while no definite agreement was reached, Premier Mussolini's response was described as willing to cooperate as far as he was able, but he seemed uncertain as to what plans he had in mind and the extent to which he could cooperate.

It was definitely stated in official circles that Ethiopia was at no time under discussion as a place for Jewish settlement.

Clause in Visas Enables 37 to Go on to Peru

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK—The difficulties of thirty-seven refugees who arrived here on the Chilean liner Imperial en route to Peru were temporarily settled. They had feared that their visas would permit them to remain in Peru only forty-eight hours, but when their documents were examined, it was discovered they had tourist visas and this

How Jews Expelled

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

DANZIG—The decision of the Danzig Nazi-dominated Senate to expel the Free City's Jews will be carried out within two weeks. The first transport of 1,000 Danzig and German stateless Jews, consisting of men, women and children, will leave Danzig on January 27. The deportees will be transported to Marienburg, East Prussia, and thence, in sealed railway coaches, to Genoa via Germany. At Genoa the Jews will be put on Greek steamers for an unknown destination in the direction of Shanghai.

To cover the costs of transportation, the Danzig Senate has confiscated the property of the Union of Danzig Synagogues, estimated at 1,000,000 gulden.

George Backer Named New ORT President

Special

NEW YORK—Election of George Backer, one of the outstanding younger leaders in Jewish affairs, as president of the American ORT Federation was hailed by leaders here, both within and outside the organization.

In spite of his youth—he is 37—Mr. Backer has for years taken a prominent part in Jewish and communal affairs, overseas, nationally and in New York, his home. A keen student of foreign affairs, he is particularly familiar with the critical overseas situation in which ORT is so deeply involved, serving as a member of the International Council for German Jewry, national vice chairman of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, member of the Board of the Palestine Economic Corporation and the Refugee Economic Corporation and chairman of the Sponsoring Committee for the World's Fair Palestine Pavilion. He is also a member of the board of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds and the Jewish Social Service Association of New York and is president of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency. He is a son-in-law of the late Mortimore Schiff and thus carries on the fine family tradition of devotion to Jewish and communal service.

By an unusual coincidence, Mr.

Congress Gets Bill to Outlaw Private Military Forces; Coast Nazis Warned

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON—Representative Hamilton Fish of New York this week introduced a bill prohibiting formation of "private military forces, such as uniformed Nazis, Communists or other alien groups."

"Private armies," Fish said, "lead to domestic strife and interference with civil rights. Their activities promote violence and open conflict between those holding different political opinions. Such activities interfere with the rights and liberties guaranteed by the Constitution. The activities of Nazis in arming and drilling German Americans have aroused considerable public indignation and the

To Raise \$250,000 For Fair Exhibit of Pre-Nazi Freedom

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK—Plans to raise \$250,000 for a German "freedom pavilion" at the World's Fair, which will represent pre-Nazi and emigre art, culture and science, were formulated at a meeting of more than sixty social, philanthropic and educational leaders, Dr. Frank Kingdon, president of the University of Newark and administrative chairman of the provisional organizing committee, declared the project has the approval of the State Department.

Ground for the pavilion has been donated by the World's Fair. The building to be erected on the plot will include an art gallery, a hall of science, in which German contributions to medicine, chemistry, religion, education and anthropology will be demonstrated.

The works of such noted exiles as Thomas Mann, Professor Albert Einstein, Dr. Sigmund Freud and others will be on display. The meeting was presided over by Herbert Bayard Swope.

Bunds Hear Talk by Russell Dunne

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK—Russell J. Dunne, who obtained considerable publicity during the war when arrested for denunciation of Jews, appeared as a speaker last week at a German-American Bund meeting here. Another speaker was described as Chief New Moon, a Cherokee Indian, who said the Bund was the only "patriotic" organization that is "going places." Meanwhile, the American Jewish Federation to Combat Communism and Fascism announced it would seek state and national legislation to forbid establishment of semi-military camps flying any foreign flag or preaching "alien ideologies."

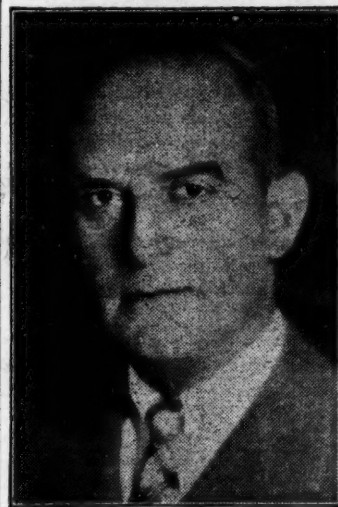
Backer's election to head the American ORT Federation is the second office, previously occupied by Mr. Vladeck, he has been called on to fill. Recently he was elected a member of the City Council of New York to complete Mr. Vladeck's unexpired term.

Seize 10,000 Handbills

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

LOS ANGELES—Police this week swooped down on a costume ball of the German-American Bund, confiscated 10,000 handbills urging a boycott of the Jews, arrested five Bund leaders and later released them with a warning that they would be prosecuted for criminal syndicalism if they attempted again to distribute such handbills. Among those who were arrested was Hermann Schwinn, west coast leader of the Bund, who is now fighting a federal attorney's complaint seeking cancellation of his citizenship.

Heads Brotherhoods



ALBERT MECKLENBURGER

Special

CINCINNATI—Albert F. Mecklenburger, prominent Chicago attorney and former second vice president, was elected president of the National Federation of Temple Brotherhoods at the eighth biennial convention here this week. Mr. Mecklenburger was president of the Chicago Conference of Temple Men's Clubs from 1934 through 1937. He is trustee of the North Shore Congregation Israel, Glencoe, and past president and director of the Men's Club of the congregation.

Hadassah Adds 15,000 In Membership Drive

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK—An unprecedented increase of 15,000 members in Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, raising the national total to nearly 81,000 in the senior and junior divisions, was announced here by Mrs. Emanuel

Hadassah Gets 1,208 Visas

Special

NEW YORK—Great Britain has issued 1,208 certificates for the immediate transfer of Jewish children from Austria and Germany to Palestine, the largest group to be permitted entry during any one immigration schedule so far, Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, announced at a national board meeting here. With the arrival of the new settlers there will be 4,300 child refugees in Palestine, Mrs. David B. Greenberg of New Rochelle, N. Y., national Youth Aliyah chairman of Hadassah, said. The Jerusalem headquarters of the movement, under whose auspices the children will be transferred, cabled to Hadassah that the certificates were issued in the unprecedentedly short space of one month to relieve the emergency situation among Jews on the continent.

Halpern and the Misses Sylvia Graff and Esther Novick, this city, membership chairmen of the senior and junior organizations, respectively.

A series of "Victory Membership Teas" will be held throughout the month in New York and 500 other cities to celebrate the first mem-

England to Build Huge Encampment For 3,500 Refugees

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

LONDON—The Council for Germany Jewry issued a statement confirming Home Office approval of establishment of a camp for trans-migrant refugees on condition that the council undertake responsibility for its maintenance. Measures have already been taken to prepare the Kitchener encampment on the Kent coast, which was used as a training place during the war.

Owners of the property have put the camp at the council's disposal without cost. It is hoped that 3,500 young men having prospects of emigration will be transferred from Germany to the camp, their places to be filled as they re-emigrate.

Jewish refugee aid organizations in Paris stated the conditions on which refugees would be admitted to the camp. The camp will cost an estimated \$50,000 to establish and \$500,000 annually to maintain. The British Home Office stipulated that those to be admitted must have reasonable prospects of migrating and affording vacancies for other refugees and must not become public burdens. The number of applicants for admission to the camp already exceeds 30,000.

Meanwhile, Colonial Secretary Malcolm MacDonald sent good wishes for success and happiness in their new home to the first party of fifteen refugees leaving for the British African colony of Kenya under the auspices of the Plough Settlement Association. The members of the party were selected in Germany last September by Colonel Knags, London representative of Kenya.

The organization, which was founded by the Council for German Jewry, has promised the government not to form Jewish settlements, but to distribute the refugees throughout the country to facilitate their absorption by the general community.

Kill Six Jews in Holy Land as Meeting Near

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

JERUSALEM—Six Jews were slain in continuing Arab terrorism. Two Jewish watchmen were killed near Ben Shemen. A milkman was slain in Jerusalem. One Jewish supernumerary was killed and another was wounded in Haifa. A German Jewess was slain in the attack on a bus near Haifa. Arab terrorists shot and killed a Jew in Tiberias.

bership tally which concludes January 30.

Mrs. Halpern pointed out that with its present membership, Hadassah is not only the largest Jewish women's organization in the United States, but the largest Zionist body in the world. The increase in the last three months is double that for the same period in the past year. Of the new enrollments, 12,000 are in the senior group and 3,000 in the junior section. According to the statement, the senior chapters and groups now number 485, and the total of junior units has increased to 215.

Alibi Given That Jewish Parents Want Gentile Teachers

EDITOR'S NOTE: So startling and scientific is the report on Jewish non-employment of Rabbi J. X. Cohen, head of the Commission on Economic Problems of the American Jewish Congress, that this paper has decided to print it in full, from week to week. The report, the third rendered by Rabbi Cohen, is the most complete and authentic study on discrimination in jobs yet made.

By RABBI J. X. COHEN

(Continued from last week)

A novel and startling reason for refusing to engage Jewish teachers was the statement, repeated in seven schools, that Jewish parents preferred non-Jewish teachers for their children. This alleged preference by Jews for non-Jews also was cited as a primary reason for non-employment of Jewish teachers by the managers of several teachers' agencies.

Our survey quickly leads to the conclusion that Jewish teachers seeking positions in private schools face sharply limited possibilities. The majority of these schools is non-Jewish in ownership, directorship and enrollment. Jewish teachers are largely limited to Jewish-owned or directed schools, but even here discrimination is practiced, though at a minimum degree. Opportunity for Jewish teachers increases when the Jewish pupil enrollment rises to a considerable proportion of the total enrollment, but it is rarely as high as the proportion of Jewish pupils. This is particularly true where the control is non-Jewish. It is here that we have the most serious phase of the problem. In the many private schools in the city which are owned or directed by non-Jews, but which have large Jewish enrollments, discrimination against Jewish teachers is widespread. These detailed facts taken from our files crammed with data are publicly disclosed for the first time. It is now the duty of the Congress and the community to deal wisely and productively with this lamentable situation.

Many hundreds of Jewish young men and women, properly trained and skillfully prepared for teaching positions, find the doors of opportunity in their chosen field barred, partly by discrimination, as well as through genuine lack of employment vacancies. Some of them turn to the department stores for employment, switching, as the

Reject Ransom Plan

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency
PARIS—The World Jewish Congress Administrative Committee, concluding a three-day secret session, went on record in opposition to the Schacht "ransom plan" of Jewish emigration from Germany and Jewish colonization in Ethiopia. A resolution adopted by the forty delegates from various European countries said: "A solution of the German Jewish problem is not acceptable to the Jewish people if it rewards the Nazi regime with economic advantage in return for expropriation and expulsion. Similarly, the World Jewish Congress firmly rejects any proposal regarding Ethiopia because Jewish settlement in the territory of an anti-Semitic government such as Italy is inconceivable."

librettist of "Pins and Needles" puts it, "from the daisy chain to becoming a chain-store daisy." They enter, if they can, the employ of a department store. The department store field is an important source of employment opportunities. According to the 1935 U. S. Census there are over 4,200 such stores in the country with nearly 500,000 employees.

Following upon the many inquiries and complaints received by the commission concerning employment policies of certain department stores, a preliminary survey was made of the most important New York City units in this field. Our complaints had come from employment agencies, applicants for positions, employees, and consumers. Through personal visit and many lengthy conferences, our staff studied twenty-two of the leading department specialty and wearing apparel stores in this area, with a total staff of about 45,000 persons. Certain other organizations connected with the retail field also were called upon for additional data and supplementary information. These included, among others, a department store employees'

union, a university school of retailing, a statistical and research organization, and a trade information clearing house.

Our primary objective was to ascertain the policies of the various stores interviewed, with emphasis upon the alertness of managements in the maintenance of fair employment practices.

We found that most of the stores do not seek employees through employment agencies, but procure personnel through their own employment departments. Some of the stores secure employees through schools and colleges. We also found the very singular circumstance that not a single important department store chief of personnel is Jewish. A few of the subordinate personnel staff employees are Jewish. This was as true of the fourteen stores under predominantly Jewish control as of the other eight stores studied. The research department of an organization directly connected with the retail field was of the opinion that certain personnel managers "unconsciously" discriminate against Jewish applicants.

Aside from the personnel management in these fourteen stores, the managerial staff is about evenly divided between Jews and non-Jews. Half of the stores reported that they attempted to adhere to an equitable policy of racial representation among their employees. A check is made by some stores from one to three times yearly. One store frankly reported that it did this in order to have the data available, in the event the question is raised by some outside inquiry. Obviously, we are not the only group concerned about department store policy. It is of particular interest to note that in these eleven stores which conscientiously strove for fairness toward all groups, nine of them were under Jewish management and control. This is proof that many Jewish employers strive hard to be fair to all elements of the community.

Seventeen of the twenty-two stores interviewed stated they found Jewish employees well fitted for retail work. The head of a

large educational institution with a nationally noted school of retailing advised us that certain department stores outside New York City are, nonetheless, averse to interviewing Jewish graduates of this school.

In New York City only a small amount of discrimination exists; Jews constitute about one-third of the total employee personnel. The situation varies from store to store, with several controlling factors sharply affecting the employment policy. One large downtown store has about 12 per cent Jewish em-

ployes, whereas a nearby equally fashionable store has 66 per cent such employees. One of the largest stores, with about 10,000 employees, makes the well founded claim of about 50 per cent Jewish employees, whereas another very large store which also draws considerable Jewish patronage, probably has no more than 10 per cent of such employees.

At this point it should be stated that we found the proportion of Christian employees to be much

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KIRSHBAUM OPENS DRIVE FOR 400 MEMBERS

Luncheon Thursday at Antlers Hotel to Launch Campaign

With seven teams composed entirely of women, Kirshbaum Center this week was looking forward to its luncheon for captains and workers next Thursday to sound the opening gun in its drive for 400 new members. Headed by Mrs. David Sablosky and Mrs. Victor Goldberg, the drive will send approximately one hundred and fifty workers into homes, offices and business establishments looking for prospects for Kirshbaum membership.

The luncheon has been arranged for 1 p. m. in the Hotel Antlers.

Team captains and members are: Team 1—Mrs. I. G. Kahn, captain; Mrs. Milton Brotman, Mrs. Jacob Hays, Mrs. Jack Kammins, Mrs. David Berman, Mrs. Harold Jaffe, Mrs. L. L. Goodman, Mrs. Sam Kroot, Mrs. Ralph Kroot, Mrs. Alfred Maschke, Mrs. I. J. Kwitney, Mrs. I. E. Solomon and Mrs. Jack Cohen.

Team 2—Mrs. A. H. Kaufman, captain; Mrs. Clarence Efromson, Mrs. Floyd Beitman, Mrs. M. Klein, Mrs. Sol Blumenthal, Mrs. Herbert Kaufman, Mrs. Mossler, Mrs. Jack Isaacs, Mrs. Morris Dee, Mrs. Herman Strashun, Mrs. Theodore Medias and Miss Marion Lee.

Team 3—Mrs. E. Dayan, captain; Mrs. Harold Platt, Miss Ruth Medias, Mrs. Ruth Wolf, Mrs. Edgar Joseph, Mrs. Henry Silver, Mrs. Aaron Glick and Mrs. Sam Glick.

Team 4—Mrs. Benjamin X. Cohen, Mrs. S. Carroll Kahn, co-captains; Mrs. G. Sommerfield, Mrs. Raymond Kiser, Mrs. L. W. Lapinska, Mrs. B. Landman, Mrs. Morris Perk, Mrs. Julius Dorfman, Mrs. David Fink, Mrs. Louis Sagalowsky, Mrs. Marcus Cohen, Mrs. Fogel, Mrs. J. B. Solomon and Mrs. Louis Goulden.

Team 5—Mrs. Paul Scharffin and Mrs. Ben Blieden, co-captains; Mrs. Rammelsberg, Mrs. Manuel Freeman, Mrs. Benjamin Sagalowsky, Mrs. Max Farb, Mrs. Sam Yaver, Mrs. Aaron Dee, Mrs. Al Levinson, Mrs. Jacob Solotken, Mrs. Archie Falender, Mrs. Harry Taylor, Mrs. Louis Barnett, Mrs. Leo Miroff, Mrs. Sam Abels, Mrs. Lena Cohen, Mrs. Bert Goldberg and Mrs. Lester Greengard.

Team 6—Miss Emma Gelman and Mrs. S. A. Silberman, co-captains; Mrs. Philip Grenwald, Mrs. Sam Weinberger, Mrs. Philip Falender, Mrs. J. B. Kaufman, Mrs. Belle Weinberg, Mrs. Max Finklestein, Mrs. A. Rabin, Mrs. Herbert Sudranski, Mrs. David Rosenberg, Mrs. Marion Unger and Mrs. Ruth Unger.

Team 7—Mrs. Frank Barnett, captain; Mrs. Louis Rappaport, Miss Dorothy Schlessinger, Mrs. Sam Caplan, Mrs. Manuel Leve, Mrs. Louis Fichmen, Mrs. Edgar Fassburg, Mrs. Victor Teixler, Miss Dorothy Krish, Mrs. Abe Klezmer, Mrs. William Schloss, Mrs. William Meyers and Mrs. Robert Efromson.

Hillel Players to Present Musical Comedy in City

The Hillel Players of the Indiana U. Foundation will present "Let Em Foreclose," Sunday, February 1, in the Beth El vestry rooms, it is announced this week.

Men Wanted

Opening their doors in an energetic campaign to round up men donors, the annual donor luncheon of Hadassah set for March 23, this year will include the stronger sex, chairman of affairs announced this week.

"Four men attended the thrift luncheon," officials said, "and from the undercurrent of talk, we understand that many men expect to come forward with their \$6.50 and attend the affair." All the money from the donor luncheon will be devoted to Youth Aliyah.

Phi B. D. Plans 10th Anniversary Affairs

SPECIAL BLOOMINGTON—Launching of preparations for the tenth anniversary celebration of Phi Beta Delta at Indiana University, the annual formal initiation dance has been arranged for February 25.

The week-end festivities are under the supervision of Al Rosenberg, social chairman, and Harry Einstead, chairman of the anniversary committee. Scheduled on the entertainment will be a bowling tournament, stag party, bores session, formal initiation of the pledge group, and the awarding of the Farb-Levi best pledge cup at a banquet in the Graham Hotel Sunday, February 26.

An outstanding feature of the week-end will be the bringing together of the original thirteen members who were inducted as charter members of the chapter ten years ago.

Name Committee for Racial Exhibit

The Jewish women's organizations of the city are cooperating in preparing the Jewish ceremonial and art exhibit which will be presented by the Jewish Community Center Association at the interracial exhibit on February 12, 13, and 14, at the Y. W. C. A. The Jewish committee for the exhibit includes Mrs. Isaac Born, chairman; Mrs. Leon Berger, Mrs. Clarence L. Budd, Mrs. Sam Dorfman, Mrs. Arthur A. Fairbanks, Miss Dorothy Forman, Mrs. Harold I. Platt, Miss Marian Scharr, Mrs. Louis R. Sereinsky, Miss Florence Slutzky, Mrs. Walter E. Wolf, Hannah Leah Miller, Julia W. Glasser; advisory committee, Rabbi Elias Charry, Rabbi Maurice Goldblatt and Allan Bloom.

Newcastle Store

Owner Succumbs

A short illness proved fatal Saturday to Isaac Gluckman, 72, Newcastle grocery store owner. Funeral services were held Sunday at the Aaron-Ruben Funeral Home, with burial in the United Hebrew Congregation cemetery. Cantor A. Portnov officiated.

A daughter, Mrs. Louis Goldman of New Castle, survives. Mr. Gluckman was a member of the United Hebrew Congregation.

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Louisville Is First Stop as Sam Mantel Plans Member Drive

Named to head the District No. 2 B'nai B'rith Spring Membership Campaign, Samuel J. Mantel, second vice president of the area, was laying plans for the most strenuous effort in the history of the lodge, as time for the opening of the drive approached. His first speaking engagement will be in Louisville, Ky., Sunday, January 29, when he will aid in the installation of the new officers of the Louisville Lodge.

Although the drive is national in scope, most of the work will fall on District No. 2, it was pointed out, since it not only is the largest district in the lodge, but at the same time is largest in number of members.

Commenting on the campaign, Mr. Mantel said, "To those seeking to serve Americanism and Judaism membership in B'nai B'rith offers a fine opportunity. The Jews who can proudly say he is a loyal B'nai B'rith can also say he is a loyal Jew. And we have need today of all the loyal Jews we can find, for loyalty to Jewry is loyalty to God and country."

Complete plans of the drive will be announced later, Mr. Mantel declared. He pointed out that the "Jew who refuses to assume his share of the burden weakens the power of resistance of all Jews."

TO SPONSOR TROUP

The Indianapolis chapter of A. Z. A. has arranged to sponsor Scout Troop 65 as its scouting activity of the year. Leo Klein, recently elected scout executive in the Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio region, has been named chairman of the A. Z. A. scouting committee.

City Youth Invited To Beth El Trials

Invitations have been extended to the Jewish youth of Indianapolis to attend the Beth El Youth Group "Nite Court" session at the Beth El Temple at 8 p. m., Sunday. Over twenty people have been subpoenaed to appear before Judge Norman Weisman for trials.

Dancing will follow the session. Among those subpoenaed are Arv Rothschild, Josh Fineberg, Seymour Pinkus, Ginger Schwartz, Bernie Bloom, Mrs. Leon Berger, Mrs. Jerome Wachter, Ethel Kaplan, Estelle Levin, Sid Netzorg and others. On the docket is a mock divorce, mock marriage, mock trials, speeches, kibitzers, and dancing.

Theodore Dann Is Honored by S. A. M.

Theodore Dann has been named one of four national consuls of Sigma Alpha Mu, national Jewish fraternity, it was announced this week. A member of the chapter of Indiana University, "Teet," as he is known, is considered in line for the higher offices of the fraternity.

Honor Emil Mantel On 75th Birthday

Emil Mantel was honored by his family on his seventy-fifth birthday with a party Tuesday at his home. Members of the family attending included Mrs. Mantel, Mrs. Morris Fishbein, his daughter, of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mantel and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mantel and children. Many friends also attended.

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Luncheon Last Week

Many out-of-town Hadassah members attended the thrift luncheon held Tuesday in Block's auditorium. Among those attending were Mesdames Dora Nathan, William Cohen, Harry Rogers, Harry Kaplan and I. Bercovitz of Lafayette, Mrs. Saul Ades of Columbus, Miss Sallie Rosenberg of Lawrence, Mrs. A. Goodman of Shelbyville, Mrs. M. Shapera of Crawfordsville, Mrs. Louis Levenstein of Greensburg and Mrs. Leon Adler of Mooresville.

BROADMOOR DANCE

The Broadmoor Country Club will hold a Saturday night dance, January 21, at the club house, with music by the Bob McKittrick Orchestra.

Sam Rose, who has been ill recently, has returned to work.

Mrs. Dora Nathan, president of the Lafayette Hadassah and one of the out-of-town guests at the thrift luncheon, recently helped to form a new chapter in Danville, Ill.

Jimmie and Dave Nahmias and Max Klapper left for a three-months' visit to Miami Beach and Havana, Cuba.

Mrs. Jacob B. Solomon spent last week in Chicago as the guest of Mrs. Irwin I. Altschuler.

Misses Sylvia Baer and Clara Goldberg drove to Los Angeles, where they will visit friends for several weeks.

Mrs. William H. Safrin and Ruben Riskin have left for Miami Beach, Fla., where Mr. Riskin will join Mrs. Riskin and their daughter Carol Sue, who are wintering at Miami Beach. Mr. Safrin will join Mrs. Safrin at the end of the month.

Gus Domont and Irving Barnett are leaving this Saturday for Miami Beach, where they will join Mrs. R. Domont and Ben Domont.

Morris Sachs Heads
Young Judea Group

Morris Sachs was elected president of the Bialik Club, a Young Judea group, at its first meeting Thursday. Other officers named were Charles Hamer, vice president and treasurer, and Ralph Caplan, secretary and press agent. Alfred Hollander is sponsor of the boys' group which will hold its next meeting Thursday, January 26.

Brotherhood Study
Group to Meet

The fifth meeting of the Temple Brotherhood Study Group will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kroot, 4430 Winthrop avenue, at 8 p. m. Tuesday, January 24. Rabbi M. Goldblatt will lead the discussion in the group's survey of Jewish history.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Jan. 22—8:00 P. M.—Beth-El Youth Group Night Court—Temple.
Jan. 24—8:00 P. M.—Temple Brotherhood Study Group—Home of Sam Kroot, 4430 Winthrop.
Jan. 25—2:00 P. M.—Joseph and Anna Borinstein Home for Aged Regular Meeting—Kirshbaum.
8:00 P. M.—T. Y. P. L. Discussion Group—Home of Lucille Borinstein, 4137 North Meridian.
Jan. 26—1:00 P. M.—Kirshbaum Membership Drive Luncheon—Hotel Antlers.
Feb. 3—10:15 A. M.—Book Review by Rabbi Goldblatt—Temple Vestry.
Feb. 10—10:15 A. M.—Book Review by Rabbi Goldblatt—Temple Vestry.
Feb. 12—8:00 P. M.—Annual Citizenship Rally—Communal Building.
Feb. 12—Jewish Youth Jamboree—Kirshbaum.
Feb. 17—10:15 A. M.—Book Review by Rabbi Goldblatt—Temple Vestry.
Feb. 19—Annual Banquet Ladies' Auxiliary U. M. C.—Synagogue.
Feb. 19—Hillel Players, "Let 'Em Foreclose"—Beth El Vestry.
Feb. 21—2:00 P. M.—Beth-El Sisterhood B-I-G-O—Block's Auditorium.
Feb. 22—A. Z. A. Youth and Democracy Meeting.
Feb. 24—10:15 A. M.—Book Review by Rabbi Goldblatt—Temple Vestry.
Mar. 12—J. E. A. Purim Ball—Kirshbaum.
Mar. 23—8:30 P. M.—Hadassah Donor Luncheon.
Mar. 25—State S. A. M. Dance.

Mrs. Dave Berman has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Louis Mankoffsky in St. Louis.

Miss Rebecca Goldenberg of Brockton, Mass., is visiting her uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. Albert G. Dannin.

Miss Florence Kestenbaum has left for New York City where she will visit friends before sailing on the S. S. Statendam for the West Indies and South America.

"Hank" Henry, local maestro, is in New York for several weeks' stay.

Mrs. Lou Jaeger of Kokomo spent several days in Indianapolis visiting relatives.

The Swank and Debette Clubs held a snow party Thursday at the Broadmoor Country Club.

Mrs. Bertha Rappaport
Dies After Long Illness

Funeral services were held at the Aaron-Ruben Funeral Home on Wednesday for Mrs. Bertha Rappaport, 71, one of the first teachers in the Nathan Morris Kindergarten School, who died early Tuesday in her home, 912 Union street. Rabbi Elias Charry and Cantor Myro Glass officiated. Burial was in the United Hebrew cemetery.

She had been ill seven years.

Survivors are two daughters, Miss Fannie Rappaport, Indianapolis, and Mrs. Myrtle Levine, Hamilton, Ohio; two sons, Nathan Rappaport, Indianapolis, and Eddie Rappaport, Chicago; two sisters, Mrs. Ben Hammerman, Indianapolis, and Mrs. Mollia Meyers, in Germany; a brother, Lou Wolf, also in Germany.

A.Z.A. Plans Cooperative
Meeting for February 22

A youth and democracy meeting, in cooperation with a non-Jewish youth group, has been planned by the Indianapolis A. Z. A.'s for February 22, Washington's birthday. Joe Albert, A. Z. A. adviser, will be in charge of the affair.

Feibleman to Talk on
Refugee Problems

Isidore Feibleman will lead the discussion on "Problems in Refugee Settlement" at the Temple Young People's League Discussion Group at 8 p. m. Wednesday, January 25, at the home of Miss Lucille Borinstein, 4137 North Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goldstein entertained at a family dinner at their home Sunday, honoring their daughter Bessie and her fiancé, Charles Sachs.

Miss Sarah Mandel of New York is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mandel.

The Delta Rho Sorority held a theater party for members Thursday.

Mrs. Bernard Cohen was honored at a farewell bridge party this week at her home. She plans to leave Sunday to join her husband in Greenwich, N. Y., where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Cohn left this Thursday for a trip to New Orleans and the Gulf Coast. They plan to be away about two weeks.

Joe Epstein left this week for a two weeks' stay in New York.

Miss Florence Blumberg of Chicago is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Eda Hyman, and cousins, Dr. Bernard Hyman, Joe and Phil Hyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Plesser have had as their house guest for the past few weeks their niece, Miss Adele Rosenberg, of New York City. She plans to leave for her home this week-end.

Miss Frances B. Kaufman of Gary visited relatives in Indianapolis last week-end.

Many at S. A. M. House
After Basketball Game

S. A. M. entertained several guests Monday evening when sport fans came to witness Indiana's basketball team swamp Purdue.

The guests included Abner Schwartz, Harold Stolkin, Natalie Stolkin, Alex Greenberg, Herbert Backer, Irving Smith, Milton Vainetz, Morris Weinberg, Jerry Blickman, and Jane Thompson, all of Indianapolis. From Louisville: Abe Streicher and Ben Koby, formerly of Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy Schultz, young newlyweds of Terre Haute, have been visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. Platt. From here they went to Chicago for several days before returning to their home in Terre Haute.

Sidney Weinstein spent the past two weeks in New York visiting his father and sister.

Art Rose is under treatment at the Methodist Hospital.

Mrs. Louis Berlowitz of Oklahoma City is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. L. Goldberg, for a few days.

Four new members were initiated into Agudas Herzl Club, a Young Judea group, at the last meeting in Kirshbaum Center. They are Manuel Betchner, Mary Ann Frankel, Sanford Rothschild, and Howard Arroun.

Entertain in Honor
of Miriam Morris

Mrs. Benjamin Morris entertained at a luncheon Tuesday at the Prime Restaurant in honor of her daughter Miriam, who will be married to Jack Toobin Sunday, February 12, in Spink Arms Hotel. Twenty guests attended. Thursday night Misses Ethel and Lee Sandler and Mrs. Sol Huffman entertained for Miss Morris at the Canary Cottage. Covers were laid for fifty-one.

Edward Dayan returned by plane from New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herff plan to leave for Miami Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Mueller will leave Thursday for Hollywood, Fla. They plan to stay three weeks and will be at the Hollywood Beach Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Sultan Cohen will leave next week by motor for California. They will be gone a month.

Mrs. Harold Goldberg was called to Cincinnati by the death of her father, Morris Simkin, Tuesday.

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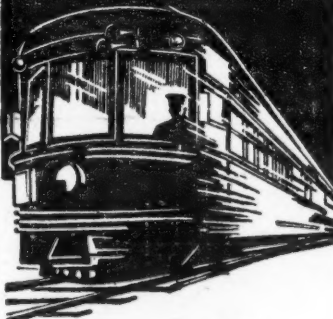
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ute, come down, select your exclusive HILLMAN'S outfit and then—get going!

Saw Roy Leve at the Goldsmith Secos benefit game and dance Sunday night with hubby, Doggy, and she really looked smart in a brown squirrel chubby with a brilliant rhinestone clasp. See-imply dee-vinish.

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Joan Weiss, cavorting at Kirshbaum last week, had on a truly smart two-piece red suit with a white chalk stripe. She wore a matching red sweater, blue shoes, blue hat and a natural colored sheep's wool jacket with square shoulders and wide sleeves. Very natty!

Rabbi Perley, Songs On Program for Home For Aged Wednesday

A program including an address by Rabbi Martin M. Perley, head of the Indiana University Hillel Foundation, and songs by Floyd Jones, tenor, has been arranged for the regular monthly meeting of the Joseph and Anna Borinstein Home for Jewish Aged at 2 p. m. Wednesday in Kirshbaum Center.

Following reports of the standing committees, a social hour will be held in the lounge. Mrs. Esther Finkelstein and Mrs. M. Katz will pour. Mrs. C. Larman and Mrs. J. Dee are in charge of hospitality and Mrs. M. Kaplan has arranged the program.

Among the songs Mr. Jones will sing is "Sweet as My Mother's Voice," a composition of Hannah Paritz Schneider.

Sisterhood Services to Honor Essie Solomon

Honoring Miss Essie M. Solomon, financial secretary, on her completion of fifteen years of service, the Temple Sisterhood plans to dedicate the Sabbath Eve religious services to her, January 27.

Those participating in the ceremony will include Mrs. Arthur A. Fairbanks, president of the Sisterhood; Mrs. Harold I. Platt, vice president, and Rabbi M. Goldblatt. The Sisterhood choir will sing at the services.

Sisterhood Honors Rabbi on Birthday

Rabbi M. M. Feuerlicht was honored on his birthday Sunday by the members of the Temple Sisterhood when he was presented with a book of Uniongrams.

Named to Board

CINCINNATI—Meyer Efronson, Indianapolis, was elected a member of the executive board of National Federation of Temple Youth at the convention here.

Rabbi Goldblatt Leaves For Mother's Funeral

Rabbi Maurice Goldblatt left Friday to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Mary Goldblatt, 68, who died Thursday in her home in Springfield, Ill., after a short illness.

Funeral services have been arranged for Monday, with burial in Oak Ridge cemetery.

Communal Music Recital Monday

The piano, violin and rhythm pupils of the Communal building will hold their mid-year recital at 8 p. m. Monday, January 23, at the Communal building.

On the program are June Griffith, Jimmy Griffith, Mrs. Lulu Griffith, Wallace Griffith, Vernon Brizendine, Ina Davis, Betty Davis, Imogene LaMasters, Mary McRoy, Celia and Becky Passo, Rachel and Goldie Nahmias, Marie Sassower, Mrs. F. Christie, Mrs. L. Horne, Doris Jean Horne, Dorothy May and Margaret Wilson, Betty Jane Strols, Becky Cohen, Jean Scott, Rochelle Schuchman, Lenora Nefouse, Frances Kernodle, Sylvia Camhi and Sadelle Lavine.

Luvonda Bockus, Lorene Cope, Donna and Marie Kernodle, Barbara Williams and Catherine Wilson; Rhythm Band—Sarah Baruch, Esther Camhi, Becky Cohen, Eleanor Cohen, Esther Cassarla, Anna Levy, Stanley Leonard, Mecky Nahmias, Rachel Nahmias, Lenore Nefouse, Sadelle Levin, Mary McRoy, Celia and Albert Passo, Bessie Sarfaty, Rochelle and Mae Schuchman and Eleanor Yosha.

The program is in charge of Miss Ruth Smith, piano instructor; William P. Swain, piano instructor; Cecil Biggs, violin instructor; Miss Halcie Harold, rhythm band director, and Miss Marion Scharr, Communal building secretary.

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KAUTSKY'S TO PLAY

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Playing with the All-Stars are LeRoy Edwards, former Tech High School satellite, and Scott Armstrong, former Butler center.

Senator, Mrs. Weiss At Washington Meet

Senator and Mrs. Jacob Weiss are in Washington, where Mr. Weiss is attending the Council of State Governments as the representative of Indiana. Senator Weiss led the discussion at the sessions on "Interstate Cooperation." On Thursday, Mrs. Weiss was the guest of Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt at a reception in honor of the wives of the delegates.

This Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Weiss will attend the meeting of the National Council of Jewish Welfare Funds and Federations in Baltimore. Also attending from Indianapolis are Mr. and Mrs. H. Joseph Hyman and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Frisch.

Rabbi Charry to Give Illustrated Lecture

An illustrated talk on "Institutions in Palestine" by Rabbi Elias Charry has been arranged for the Palestine at the Crossroads lectures of the College of Jewish Studies Tuesday night at Beth El Temple. Rabbi Charry will show pictures he took during his trip to the Holy Land in 1934.

Meyer W. Weisgal To Speak in City Wednesday Night

Meyer W. Weisgal, manager of the Palestine Pavilion at the New York World's Fair, will speak in Indianapolis at 8 p. m. next Wednesday at an open meeting under the auspices of the Zionist District and the Hadassah, it was announced this week.

His subject will be, "Palestine of Tomorrow at the World's Fair."

Famous for his production of Franz Werfel's "Road of Ages" in New York several seasons ago, Mr. Weisgal was former editor of New Palestine, and presented the Jewish Day at the Chicago World's Fair. He will be introduced by Rabbi Elias Charry.

S. A. M. at Bloomington Honors Alvin Cohen

SPECIAL BLOOMINGTON—S. A. M. honored its lone mid-year graduating senior, Alvin Cohen, of Indianapolis, with a banquet Sunday night. President of the chapter last year, Cohen was one of the leading Jewish students on the campus.

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By
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Little Miss Muffet

Thought she would rough it;
Some skis she did quickly get;
She took off—remember?
Some time last December;
No landings reported as yet!

It is snowball dodging time, and how I'd like to be swishing around in this slush with a pair of skis or snowshoes. Went down to Bloomington last Saturday to see the Indiana-Wisconsin basketball game and while there learned of a super-elegant snow ball fight put on between the pledges and sorority sisters of the Sig Phi Ep house. Natalie Stolkin, down from our fair burg, got into it and she was all tuckered out when we saw her and little Natalie Marcus in the afternoon. Marcus, by the way, had a date with Pat Berger while there, the lucky lassie. Sara Schuchman had a swollen jaw as the result of a direct hit during the melee. From last reports heard, there were no casualties.

Edna Weisman, sister of the illustrious Norm, has just returned from New Yawk where she had a delectable time. Norm, you know, has been selected as master of ceremonies for the super-colossal stunt night, February 12. Let's fry Weisman as long as we've got him on the pan, what d'ya say? Last week, Josh Fineberg joined Kirshbaum Center and on his application blank wrote, "Because of Norm Weisman." What a guy, what a guy!

Say, fellas, here is one to put down in your little black book: Marjorie Green, her poppa's the furrier, is quite a nice dish. She hails from St. Loee. And here is a good one: Although Marjorie and Doris Mann, who have resided here about a year, both came from the same city, they were introduced for the first time last Tuesday night. Who said anything about this being a small world after all?

I imagine that all of you who attended the Goldsmith Seco-J. P. I. game and dance last Sunday night are still talking about it, and so am I. For those who didn't attend, the J. P. I. boys won the game in a double overtime, 56-54. A real thriller. We saw Lee Hillman and his charming wife, Evalyn Goldsmith and Dave Cohen, Bernie Kaseff, Joe Fogle, Sam Toobin with Dorothy Cooper, Al Gorinstein and his fiancée, Bess Greenwald, Sammy Piltz dancing with Florence Greenwald, Emanuel Farber and his wife, Joe Schwartz and Bernice Cohen, Alex Greenberg, Harold Stolkin, Goldie Pardo, Rae Leah Binzer and Musty Weinstein, Natalie Stolkin and many others.

While I've got Natalie on my mind, let me tell you one and all, that gal must have an iron constitution. You see, we went to Sam's Subway afterward and she had a bowl of chili, chocolate coke, a bite of my salmon sandwich, some of Ginger's french fries, everyone's dill pickles, a hamburger, more chili and then—well, we suspect, a tummy ache. Sam Caplan came in with his wife, sampled everything from everyone's plate and when the waitress came to take his order, he didn't hungry. How strange.

Irving Glazer of Old I. U. did himself proud a short time ago when, as a member of the Crimson swimming team, he paddled the meet against Butler. He was anchor man in the 300-yard medley and defeated his man by 15 yards after getting off to poor start. Keep it up, fella. . . . Helen Cohen, telling of a lovely Christmas gift she received, remarked that she was going to keep it for her torso. It wasn't much of a slip but sounded funny when she really had the word trousseau in mind. . . . Following the custom of the Louisville A. Z. A., the local chapter is going to have a sweetheart dance this spring. That is a fine idea, and girls, start working on the boys for the votes than can make you the A. Z. A. Sweetheart. Hey, am I eligible? . . . Rabbi Goldblatt says he is getting more at home in our town every day. A short time ago, he ran into his across-the-street neighbor from Roanoke, Va. About the time that Rabbi Goldblatt was appointed assistant to Feuerlicht, his Roanoke friend was named to head the public utilities of Marion, Muncie and Anderson. Although they were fellow members of the Kiwanis Club in Lynchburg, this was the first time they had met since arriving in the Midwest.

One whale of a mob attended this past week's wrestling show at the Armory to see Billy Thom, former light-heavy champ and coach at Indiana U. wrestle the celebrated Lord Landsdowne of Barrington, England. Lord entered the ring with an English Butler, wore gorgeous fur trappings, a sweeping cape and, of course, a monocle. It was quite a show but Thom, in good old Yankee fashion, cleaned the mat with him. We saw Harold Stolkin, Harold Miller, Orrie Schuchman and Lorraine Wormser who so very, very soon will be a Mrs. Julie Maurer, Fred Tuchman and a few others.

Well that about winds things up for the week. You know, I was just thinking, while listening to a famous jitterbug orchestra last night, that the composers of really fine music, if they were here today, would enjoy seeing our modern lads and lassies swing—at the end of a rope! See you at the Beth-El party Sunday night, and at Sam's Subway afterward.

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SPECIAL MEETING CALLED
A special board meeting of the Junior Council has been called for 8 p. m., Thursday, in Kirshbaum Center.

Youth Jamboree Is Planned by Union Council for Feb. 12

A mammoth all-city Jewish Youth Jamboree, expected to be the outstanding social extravaganza of the winter season, will take place at Kirshbaum Center Sunday night, February 12, according to plans announced this week by the Indianapolis Council of Jewish Youth.

The council, which represents the city in the state-wide Indiana Union of Jewish Youth, is composed of fifteen local organizations. Milton J. Fineberg, president of the council, has announced that the jamboree will serve as a prelude to the annual State Conclave which will be held in Indianapolis this year.

"Stunt Night" will be the feature of the jamboree, with the organizations of the council presenting acts and skits in vaudeville fashion in competition for a silver loving cup, upon which will be engraved the name of the winning organization. A board of expert judges will award the cup to the winning stunt. Norman Weisman will be master of ceremonies.

Rosaleah Draizer, general chairman for the affair, has announced that a dance will follow the stunt program. Miss Draizer has appointed the following committee in charge of general arrangements: Meyer Efrogmson, Bob Kammins, Sander Leventhal, Nate Fogel, Ruth Weil, Sylvia Werner and Arv Rothschild. Ticket chairmen are Evelyn Lob and Miriam Sicanoff. Other committees are as follows: Florence Slutsky, Norman Weisman and Jack Larman, stunt reviewing board; Arv Rothschild, Betty Efrogmson, Marian Berger and Milton Strauss, publicity; Wallace Goldstein, Sander Leventhal and Bert Cohn, stage managers; and Evelyn Goldsmith, public address system.

Ushers for the affair will be members of the groups on the council. Organizations now active on the council are: Junior Hadassah, Junior Council, Phi Delta Gamma, Beth El Youth Group, Temple Young People's League, Beta Nu. A. Z. A., Achad Haam, Hai-Resh, Iota Nu, Kodimo Club, Star-Debs, Swank Club, Debettes, and Kirshbaum Players.

Rabbi Charry Making Speeches Over State

Carrying the message of democracy and Judaism throughout the state, Rabbi Elias Charry has been engaged for three additional talks before state bodies in the next few weeks, it was announced.

Rabbi Charry will address the Kokomo Rotary Club Tuesday afternoon, January 31, in Kokomo on "Palestine—God's Laboratory." That same night he will speak before the Kokomo Y. M. C. A. on "We Face Tomorrow." The following week, on February 5, Rabbi Charry will deliver a talk before the Temple Sisterhood in Terre Haute, and on the next day he will address the Women's Department Club in Greensburg on "Tomorrow and Tomorrow and Tomorrow."

Rabbi Charry spoke on "Democracy or Else" before the Townsend Community Center in Richmond Tuesday night.

Four Jewish Students Taking Part in Winter Athletics at Indiana University

SPECIAL
BLOOMINGTON, Indiana—Four Jewish students in Indiana University are now active in school athletics. Two of them are members of the University's swimming team, one is on the wrestling squad, and the fourth is a member of the Crimson track team.

Seymour Weiss of South Bend, Ind., a junior in the school, is a

member of the wrestling team, fighting in the 145-pound class. Louis Finkle, a senior from Paterson, N. J., runs the 100 and 220 yard dashes on the track team.

Irving Glazer, a sophomore from Anderson, Ind., is a member of the Indiana swimming squad. In Indiana's victory over DePauw earlier in the season, Glazer took second place in the breast stroke, and the following week, when the Crimson tank squad defeated Butler of Indianapolis, he was on the winning medley relay team. Dave Strauss, a senior who hails from Newark, N. J., has not been able to participate in any of the school's swimming meets this year because of an injury he received last season, but he has been assisting Coach Robert Royer. Strauss' specialty, like Glazer's, is the breast stroke.

Morton Turbow, a freshman from East Chicago, is working for a position on the freshman wrestling team in the 145-pound class.

Manuel Leve New Alumni President

Manuel Leve was elected president of the Sigma Alpha Alumni Club of Indianapolis at its meeting Wednesday night at the Antlers Hotel. Other officers named were Abner Schwartz, vice president; Tiny Epstein, treasurer, and Nate Regenstreif, secretary.

Plans were begun for the state "Sammie" dance on March 25, with Mr. Schwartz as chairman.

B'nai B'rith Sends In \$600 for Refugees

With the forwarding of \$600 to the refugee fund of B'nai B'rith, Indianapolis Lodge this week discharged its part of the national assessment of \$1 per member for refugee relief. Lodges throughout the nation are collecting \$1 from each member for refugee relief, it was announced.

The finance committee of the lodge this week approved a \$25 contribution towards the Roosevelt Golden Book of the Jewish National Fund, and \$15 to the All-Jewish Forum.

Important business will be discussed at the regular lodge meeting at 8 p. m. Monday in Kirshbaum Center.

Junior Hadassah Calls Meeting Wednesday

A special meeting of Junior Hadassah has been called for 8 o'clock next Wednesday night at Kirshbaum Center to discuss plans for a new fund raising project. Ann Donnenfeld will give a book review.

Bess Draizer, chairman of the fund raising committee, has called a meeting of her group for 8:00 o'clock Monday night in Kirshbaum Center.



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by PAUL A. PETERS

TIP: Don't be surprised if Vic Bernstein, JTA staff correspondent in Berlin, cops the 1938 Pulitzer Prize for the best foreign correspondence in American newspapers. . . . His dispatches from Berlin and Vienna were tops. . . . All American correspondents are pulling for him to get the award and no less a person than Vincent Sheean, who did some post-Anschluss features from Vienna and knows the unusual handicaps under which Vic has had to work during the entire year, is an ardent backer of the idea.

LIT'RY NOTE: A globe-trotting refugee dropped in to say "hello" to us the other day. . . . Came from Germany, via Shanghai, Manila, and points East, South, North and West. . . . He is Max L. Berges, former actor, stage director and writer of Berlin. . . . Readers of the Anglo-Jewish press may remember an article by Berges, more than a year ago, in which he described the plight of a refugee in China. . . . American readers will soon have an opportunity to appraise Berges as a novelist. . . . For the Jewish Publication Society will publish his "That Is Cold Pogrom," as translated from the German. . . . The J. P. S. editors took on the book despite the fact that their schedule had already been filled for the year, so impressed were they with its punch and power.

CONGRATULATIONS to the B'nai B'rith on the sprightly, springy appearance of its publication, now known as the National Jewish Monthly. . . . Its Time-ized format is well-conceived and it is altogether a handsome job of typography and layout. . . . President-Editor Henry Monsky, Managing Editor Edward Grusd and all others who had a hand in the change are to be congratulated.

VISITOR: David Ben Gurion, Palestine labor leader, has been in these United States for the past several weeks—as a secret visitor. . . . Has been holding important conversations in New York and Washington with organizational heads.

MISH-MASH: Lou Rittenberg, American editor of the London Jewish Chronicle has been seriously ill of pneumonia. . . . and Maurice Bisgyer, B'nai B'rith secretary, is recuperating from an illness. . . . National organizations are throwing a big feed January 22 for Dr. Israel Goldstein, J. N. F. prexy, in celebration of his twentieth anniversary in the pulpit. . . . Congrats to Cantor Harris Newman of the Manchester (England) Great Synagogue, who on his 75th birthday is still composing his own music. . . . The American Jewish Outlook now headlines friend (pfeh) Coughlin as the Rev. Charles "McCarthy" Coughlin. . . . Wonder how Bergen and his dummy pal like that? . . . Peters ought to be ashamed of himself for referring to "Hearken Unto the Voice" in his last week's colyum as authored by Stefan Zweig. . . . When he knows darn well it was written by Franz Werfel—and one of the finest novels in years, at that. . . . We didn't know until recently that Clifton P. Fadiman, New Yorker book critic and witty m. c. of Information Please, appeared in print for the first time under the aegis of the Menorah Journal. . . . Also, Irving Fineman, Marvin Lowenthal, Meyer Levin, Anita Brenner and a host of others now well known in literature.

ALIBI GIVEN

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higher in Jewish-owned stores than we found to be the case for Jewish employees in Christian-owned stores.

On the whole, New York department stores present no problem. There are specific individual situations which require further study, attention and adjustment. It is the hope that your commission will be able to report favorable results with these few stores at our next session. If not, our report will necessarily have to be much more forthright and definite. Until then we ask you to bear with us, even as we ask our local committees in other metropolitan centers to study their own local department stores, many of which are under New York control. Our New York findings have established, as previously stated, "that Jewish employees are well fitted for retail work." This information should be useful to those conducting negotiations in other communities fortunate enough to recognize that they should have an active local unit of the Commission on Economic Problems of the American Jewish Congress.

(To be continued)

U. S. DISAPPROVES

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK—American disapproval of Nazi treatment of Jews and Catholics has reached the point where 61 per cent of the voters favor a boycott of German-made goods, the American Institute of Public Opinion reported.

Our Film Folk

of

HOLLYWOOD

By HELEN ZIGMOND

HOLLYWOOD—A prospective movie-maid is Caryl Gould, currently Rudy Vallee's featured singer. Miss Gould, erstwhile Goldberg, is very young, petite and pretty. She's a native New Yorker. Since her engagement at the Coconut Grove she has been screen-tested at two studios and her chances for a cinema career are very bright.

This week, life's curtain descended for Max (Joachim) Ritz, father of the Ritz Brothers. All his life he had been the family cut-up, a kitchen comedian—the inspiration and example for the turbulent trio. He loved acting, but the extent of his thespic career was a few amateur theatricals.

Author Rian James, formerly associated with the Brooklyn Eagle, is now in cahoots with the stork. Bird left an eight-pound heir, cycled Jeffrey Rian James. Can you remember when Jewish boys were named Moses, Isaac, or Jacob?

Wheel of the Great Petition gains momentum . . . a reel to be clipped into national newsreels

was made by Hollywood's "Committee of 56." It predicts prominent film personalities signing the new "Declaration of Independence" destined for President Roosevelt's consideration.

Along the Nazi front:

Despite hundreds of protests in Buenos Aires, the Leni Riefenstahl film got a showing—because the German Embassy guaranteed the purchase of 700 tickets daily.

In Ohio the Russian-made anti-Nazi film, "Professor Mamlock," was barred by censors . . . no reason given.

In London a new song-hit is called "I'm a Refugee" . . . has already sold more than 2,000 copies.

In Italy muttering increases at the void left by withdrawal of American films. Il Duce, covering up, is endeavoring to coerce the four smaller Hollywood companies to remain for a six-month extension under the old set-up. Irony if the fate of Fascism turns on the film question . . . little cracks may unleash big floods.

In Germany the prompted press hurls the ludicrous accusation that Ickes commissioned Chaplin to make "The Dictator." The news, (Continued on page 8)



More than 1,300,000 children are educated annually with the school taxes paid by the American Railroads.

Yet only about one-third of the railroads' total taxes go for school purposes. The rest—about \$200,000,000 a year—goes toward the support of federal, state and local government; the courts, police and fire protection, hospitals, good roads, and a long list of other public institutions and services.

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HEBREW CALENDAR

Rosh Chodesh Shebat ... January 21
Rosh Chodesh Adar ... February 20
Purim ... March 5
Passover ... April 4-11, 1939
Shavuoth ... May 24-25

The Editor's Chair:

A very sensible letter, presenting in my estimation the most forceful reasons for Hebrew school attendance, appears in the letter column this week. Basing his reasons on the desire of Jewish parents to see their children reared as observant and intelligent Jews, the writer points out that only through a proper and thorough Jewish education can parents insure for themselves any great likelihood that their children will follow in their footsteps as members of the Jewish community. The logic is irrefutable. I have always viewed the problem from the opposite angle—that of the forlorn Jewish parents who, after they have reared their children, bewail the apostasy of their offspring, although in earlier years they were content to "spare" them the necessity of attending Hebrew school.

If a certain family had been fortunate enough to have been able to count among its forbears a Disraeli, a Brandeis, a great rabbi, or a famous scientist, unquestionably the children of the family would grow up familiar with the exploits and achievements of these progenitors. The great deeds of these ancestors would be guiding lights for their own industry and activity. We all grant that. Yet Jewish parents, with the greatest and most glorious history theirs for the inquiring, rear their children in utter ignorance of a Micah, an Isaiah, a Moses Mendelsohn. Do you think the Adams family, or the Roosevelt family fail to impart to the new generation the grand story of their great ancestors. That great families keep alive their legendary traditions is a matter of course, not a matter of necessity. Yet with Jews who know they must give to their children a firm faith in the greatest of the Jewish race lest these same children under the taunts of their playmates rue the fact that they were born Jewish, it is a matter of necessity, yet they continue to ignore their great tradition.

Speaking of the movement to transform the one-day-a-week school (Sunday school) into a week-day school, Dr. Emanuel Gamoran, educational director of the Union American Hebrew Congregation, said, "Some of the congregations (reform) have taken definite steps in that direction largely by introducing additional sessions for some upper classes in the school. About 20 per cent of our schools have weekday instruction. In one day a week we cannot adequately transmit our Jewish social life, which is four thousand years old and which consists of the whole life of a people. It includes language, literature, history, customs and ceremonies, songs, the ways of life, a rich, creative people in the past and in the present. No matter how expert our teachers were, no matter how well developed our methodology, we could not possibly achieve this task in one day a week."

Editorial Page

The Houston Example

ALTHOUGH the two-campaigns-a-year idea has been definitely discarded by the powers that be, it is interesting to note the experience of Houston, Texas, one of the few cities which, although it understood the theoretical obstacles to more than one campaign a year, felt that no amount of logic could supersede the dire need of European Jewry.

M. M. Feld, president of the Jewish Community Council, in his annual report, had this to say:

"As you know, when we conducted our yearly drive last March, we raised a total of \$52,815.60, which was an increase of \$10,674.20 over the \$42,138.40 that was subscribed in 1937, and of course, far beyond what had ever been received in a one-year drive for one year's activities, in the City of Houston.

"When we conducted that campaign, little did we think that before the year would come to a close, we would be called upon for one of the greatest of special emergencies that Jews in this country have yet been asked to meet since the days of the World War. But we are proud and happy to say that the Jews of Houston, unlike most communities in this country—and this latter I say with regret—unlike those communities, our local Jewish community met the emergency call that went out, and in the same spirit of the dramatic suddenness with which we threw the machinery of our offices into quick emergency operation, they rose, to a man, and subscribed what ultimately amounted to \$32,875.50 practically all of which was immediately paid up in cash.

"The total then, that we have raised in sub-

scriptions for the year, is \$85,691.10, a far cry from the twenty-one to thirty thousand odd dollars that were raised yearly in this community only some three or four years ago. Yet we must not think that we have reached the saturation point in fund raising. No more than those who persecuted Jews abroad will permit us to think that they have reached the saturation point in meeting out persecution to our fellow brethren. We will be called upon in this coming year to share in raising one of the largest funds that has ever been asked for in this country."

It must be clear then that what Houston did, any other city in the United States could have done. Houston, rising to the emergency as it did, does not claim a surfeit of all the generous Jews of the United States. It is like any other Jewish community, like Indianapolis, or like Louisville—there could be no major difference.

But in one respect, and a vital one, there was a difference. In leadership. Houston Jewish leaders, having just gone through one drive, hesitated not when the call came. Stirred by European events as they have never before been stirred, Houston's Jews gave more than half as much again as they had in the first drive, the drive in which they had been promised that they would not be approached again for any purpose for at least a year.

To say the least, the experience of the Houston Jewish Community is interesting. It should be very interesting to those national Jewish leaders who decided against more than one drive a year. Sure there is a crisis in Europe. But we United States Jews are giving a share of our INCOME. What would you want us to do, give more than a SHARE of our INCOME?

Current Comment

Dr. Emanuel Gamoran Discussed The Sunday School of The Future.—The Sunday School of tomorrow, if I may be paradoxical for a moment, will make its greatest contribution by ceasing to be a Sunday School. The Sunday School of the future will cease to be a Sunday School and will become a Jewish Religious School that will meet at least twice a week in school, and will supplement its activities on the other days of the week. In a number of the progressive Reform and Conservative Jewish schools, this has already been done. Two or three sessions a week should be the minimum. These should be supplemented by a rich variety of extra-curricular activities, by all kinds of interesting clubs, by a lively Junior Congregation on the Sabbath, by a series of vital activities such as dramatics, debating, and arts and crafts.

Rabbi Louis I. Newman Explains Jewish Attitude Towards Stand of Catholics On Conflicting Issues.—The attempt to restrain Jews from following their individual conscience in political and economic questions through fear for Jewish safety should be carefully understood by Jews in its correct implications. There are Catholics today, for example, who are seeking to force Jews away from participation in liberal causes by implying that otherwise Catholics will join the persecutors. There are many Jews who do not wish Franco to win; surely Catholics will not employ this known attitude on the part of numbers of Jews as a weapon of prejudice against all Jews. There are many Jews who believe that reactionary policies in government should be avoided; moreover, Jews are in favor of a change of the divorce laws in States, like that of New York, where legislation is far behind the laws of other States. Jews also favor birth control. Catholics do not like these attitudes, but shall they make Jews, on that account, the target for their wrath? These are general issues, and Catholic Leaders who cannot convince the general public of the wisdom of their viewpoint, should not make Jews their scapegoat. We must hold strictly to an advocacy of the great human ideals; we must let nothing stand in the way of the spread of truth. We refuse to exchange one tyranny for another. If we are to suffer, let us bear our burden like men. Let us have causes, great causes, for which it is worth bearing the yoke. Let us not abandon our pristine

and historic humanitarianism and find ourselves as in Italy, the pawns of the persecutors nevertheless.

Alvin Johnson Relates Debt to Jews In The Atlantic Monthly.—We who value our civilization owe a tremendous debt to the Jews. In place of childish aggregations of gods mostly malevolent, in place of terrifying superstitions abated only for the elect by philosophy, they gave us religions of singular purity and splendor that yet could reach even the lowliest minds. The book of history is not yet closed, and it may be fated that our present civilization of aerial bombs and poison gas must once more go through an era of mediaeval darkness. The Jews, however small a remnant, will manage to keep their lamps burning. Their mission has not come to an end. Indeed, one may say that even today, in the midst of the greatest of all persecutions, their mission stands out clearly: to awaken us from the stupor in which we dreamed that a civilized society might rest on some other basis than that which has been tested by time—good will to men.

J. Spiegelman Describes Growth of New Colonies In Palestine.—These troublesome days are not entirely devoid of moments of joy. Such a moment occurs to us, the men of the Yishub in Palestine, when a new settlement is created and when another contingent of our young men goes forth into the wilderness and begins building a new Jewish village.

In each of the thirty-one months that have elapsed since the beginning of the Arab disturbances, the Yishub was able to add another village to the roster of its agricultural settlements. At this moment we count 36 settlements that have been established since that historic day thirty-one months ago. Such rapid pace has not attended our colonization activity even in the best years of Zionist work in Palestine. It is therefore no exaggeration when I say that the days that mark the acquisition and occupation of a new settlement are days of joy in the life of Palestine Jewry.

We have lived through days of this character only recently. In two days, three new settlements came into being, one in the neighborhood of Hanita in Upper Galilee; two in the Beisan Region, in the Valley of the Jordan.

Freedom of the Press

Nachas Depends on Education
To the Editor:

What is nachas?

The Hebrew word "nachas" has a beautiful meaning that touches the heart of every Jewish mother. It means pride, happiness and joy in her children. What other kind of happiness is so desired by the Jewish mother? Are not her dearest hopes and dreams centered in her children?

But in order to have "nachas" the Jewish mother must make sure of one thing: her children must remain Jewish; they must be Jewish not only in name, but in spirit, ideals and ways of life.

You are sure to have "nachas" if your son remains a loyal Jew.

You are sure to have "nachas" if your daughter, in her turn, becomes a devoted Jewish mother.

There is one way, and one way only, to be sure of all of that. Your boy and girl must get an elementary Jewish education which requires at least six years of continuous instruction. It should impart to the child the basic Jewish teachings, which include:

A knowledge of the Bible, the most important document of the human race. The child should be able to read and understand most of the Bible in the original Hebrew. He should have some knowledge of the Talmud and of later and modern Jewish literature.

A knowledge of the Jewish ways of life; the teachings of our faith and its practices; the festivals and their significance.

A knowledge of the history of the Jewish people—4,000 years of struggle and spiritual achievement.

Talmud Torahs everywhere are constantly endeavoring to provide your children with these Jewish requirements.

JOSEPH ISH MELECH.

Louisville, Ky.

OUR FILM FOLK

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though surprising, didn't stir a hair of Charlie's mustache.

In Hollywood Edward Robinson has received many letters condemning him for taking the lead in the Nazi spy picture... but he doesn't falter in his determination.

Talkietown Chatter: Benny Rubin is scribbling a book of dialect verse called "The Great Sa Heeb." Actor Charles Adler has become an agent with two relatives, Luther Adler and wife, Sylvia Sidney, as his first clients. Shirley Deane wrote a song, "Pardon Me for Loving You," in less than two hours and received an immediate contract from New York publishers. That little girl long taken for Binnie Barnes' niece is now reported to be her daughter! Eddie Cantor is trying to put over his idea of big air shows touring the country to allow smaller towns the chance of being audiences at important broadcasts. Joan Blondell's mother, who shed seventy pounds with strenuous dieting, is now very sick.

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